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NOTICE OF RELATED APPLICATION

Honorable Assistant Commissioner of Patents Washington, D.C. 20231

Sir:

Applicants would like to bring to the attention of the Examiner that the claims in Application Serial No. 09/394,345 are similar to those in the above-identified application. A copy of the pending claims and the specification of the 09/394,345 Application are attached.

Should the Examiner have any comments regarding the above-identified application, the Examiner is encouraged to contact Applicants' undersigned representative at the telephone number listed below.

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